

LATIMER COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

MINUTES FOR JUNE 2, 2025

The Latimer County Commissioners met in a regular meeting on Monday, June 2, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. at the Latimer County Courthouse located at 109 N. Central, Wilburton, OK.

Members present were Jeremy Bullard, Jaden Petty and Rodger Kimble. Guests were: Luke Underwood, Nathan Montgomery, Bob Moore, Wade Hoyt Thomson, Karen Ford, Chris Church, Jordan Lowry, Melinda Brinlee, Mark Showell, Amanda Tucker, Mike Musgrove and JP Davis. Erin Adams, Latimer County Clerk took the minutes.

Jeremy Bullard, Chairman called the meeting to order.

Jaden Petty made a motion to approve and sign the minutes from 05/27/2025. Jeremy Bullard seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Bullard-aye; Petty-aye; Kimble-abstain. The motion carried.

Rodger Kimble made a motion to approve and sign emergency meeting minutes from 05/23/2025. Jaden Petty seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Petty-aye; Kimble-aye; Bullard-aye. The motion carried.

Rodger Kimble made a motion to approve and sign special meeting minutes from 05/21/2025. Jaden Petty seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Petty-aye; Kimble-aye; Bullard-aye. The motion carried.

Rodger Kimble made a motion to approve the letter requesting assistance with 30 tons of sand and 20 tons of masonry sand delivered to the Red Oak softball field, within District #3. Jaden Petty seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Kimble-aye; Bullard-aye; Petty-aye. The motion carried.

Rodger Kimble made a motion to approve the Detention Services Agreement by and between ROCMND Area Youth Services and the Board of County Commissioners of Latimer County for FY 2025-2026. Jaden Petty seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Bullard-aye; Petty-aye; Kimble-aye. The motion carried.

Jaden Petty made a motion to approve the Cooperative Service Agreement between the Latimer County Board of Commissioners and the United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service Wildlife Services for FY 2025-2026. Rodger Kimble seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Petty-aye; Kimble-aye; Bullard-aye. The motion carried.

The Board reviewed the FY 2025 and FY 2026 revised budgets for the Southeast Oklahoma Library System.

The Board reviewed the Annual Report FY 2024-2025 from the Latimer County OSU Extension office.

Jaden Petty made a motion to table further discussion and possible action on the Storm Debris Cleanup Assistance form for Latimer County. Rodger Kimble seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Kimble-aye; Bullard-aye; Petty-aye. The motion carried.

Jaden Petty made a motion to enter into Executive Session pursuant to 25 O.S., Section 307.B.1 to discuss the interviewing/hiring of the Emergency Management Director for Latimer County. Rodger Kimble seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Bullard-aye; Petty-aye; Kimble-aye. The motion carried.

Rodger Kimble made a motion in open meeting to adjourn Executive Session and reconvene. Jaden Petty seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Petty-aye; Kimble-aye; Bullard-aye. The motion carried.

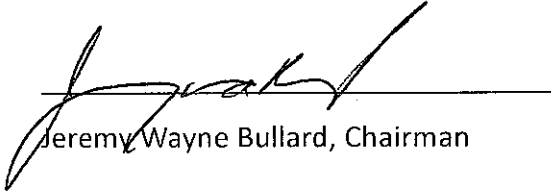
Rodger Kimble made a motion to hire Nathan Montgomery as the Emergency Management Director for Latimer County. Jaden Petty seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Kimble-aye; Bullard-aye; Petty-aye. The motion carried.

At 11:00 a.m. the Board opened the single bid received for the EMS ambulance service for FY 2025-2026. The Board discussed the bid received with Mike Musgrove, Chairman of the Latimer County EMS Board and JP Davis, EMS Board member.

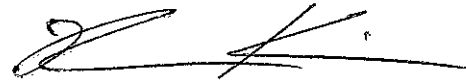
Rodger Kimble made a motion to table further discussion and possible action on the awarding of the EMS Ambulance service bid due to the scheduled meeting of the EMS Board to approve. Jaden Petty seconded the motion. The motion was voted as follows: Bullard-aye; Petty-aye; Kimble-aye. The motion carried.

Under new business:

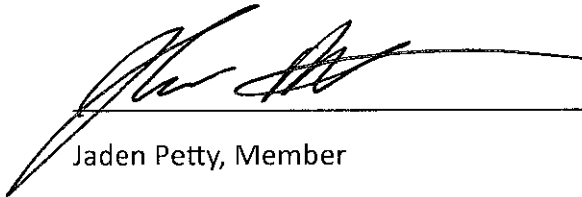
The installation of the security camera system was discussed with Amanda Tucker and the Board; the installation is still in process and a Board member will be notifying Wave 11. The total damage of the recent storms was discussed and the gathering of damage per district is still being done.




Jeremy Wayne Bullard, Chairman



Rodger Kimble, Vice-Chairman



Jaden Petty, Member



Erin Adams, Latimer County Clerk